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Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of: **Ji-Wook YOUN, Taejon, Republic of Korea; Sung-Un LEE, Taejon, Republic of Korea; Kwang-Joon KIM., Taejon, Republic of Korea; and Jong-Hyun LEE, Taejon, Republic of Korea, for OPTICAL PERFORMANCE MONITORING APPARATUS FOR A WDM OPTICAL COMMUNICATION SYSTEM.** The application comprises a 16-page specification including 5 claims (1 independent) and Abstract, 4 sheets of drawings (Figs. 1-4), and a Declaration and Power of Attorney.

The above-mentioned applicants qualify for small entity status.

Accompanying this application for filing are:

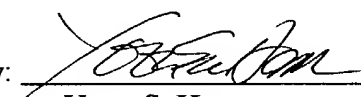
- (1) Assignment document, cover sheet and **\$40.00** fee for recordation of Assignment; and
- (2) A certified copy of **KOREAN** Application No. **2000-54803**, filed **September 19, 2000**, the priority of which is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.

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